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**BLACKHAWK**

tangles with  
**SAKYO,**  
The Madman!

BLACKHAWK



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# "CURIOSITY KILLED A CAT"

— BUT IT ANSWERED  
A QUESTION FOR  
JIM AND JANE

SEE YOU GOT  
YOUR NEW BIKE  
JIM. BOY IT'S  
A BEAUTY!

SURE IS!  
AND IT'S GOT  
A MORROW  
COASTER BRAKE  
— THE BEST  
MADE!

YOU  
KNOW  
IT!

JIM, WHY DO ALL  
THE BOYS AND GIRLS  
SAY A MORROW'S THE  
BEST COASTER  
BRAKE MADE?

SEARCH ME, JUST  
IS. EVERYBODY  
KNOWS THAT.  
BUT LET'S ASK DAD  
— HE'LL KNOW!

BEST COASTER  
BRAKE MADE?

MORROW — WHY THAT'S  
THE COASTER BRAKE  
HAD ON MY BIKE. YOU  
BET IT'S THE BEST, AND  
I'LL SHOW YOU WHY —

HERE'S MY OLD BIKE —  
USED TO RIDE OVER TO SEE  
YOUR MOTHER ON IT. THE  
BIKE'S ABOUT THROUGH,  
BUT THAT MORROW  
BRAKE IS AS GOOD  
AS NEW!

NOW LOOK AT THIS MORROW  
ON YOUR BIKE, JANE. FIRST  
THING, IT'S THE ONLY COASTER  
BRAKE MADE IN AMERICA  
THAT HAS 31 BALL BEARINGS

OH I GET IT! THAT'S WHERE  
MORROW GETS "SPEED-WHEELING"  
COASTING

RIGHT, JIM, AND  
MORROW COASTER BRAKES  
ARE MADE BY A FAMOUS  
MAKER OF AUTOMOBILE  
BRAKES — SO THEY  
REALLY KNOW HOW

NOW WATCH THIS — SEE HOW JUST A  
TOUCH OF MY HAND STOPPED THAT  
WHIRLING WHEEL QUICK. THAT'S THE  
QUICK, SAFE STOPPING ACTION EVERY  
BIKE BRAKE SHOULD HAVE

GEE, LOOK AT  
DAD WHIZZ ALONG  
— AND HE CAN  
STOP ON A DIME

YOU'D THINK  
HE OWNED  
A BRAND  
NEW BIKE

A MORROW  
COASTER BRAKE  
KEEPS MY BIKE  
RIDING LIKE NEW!

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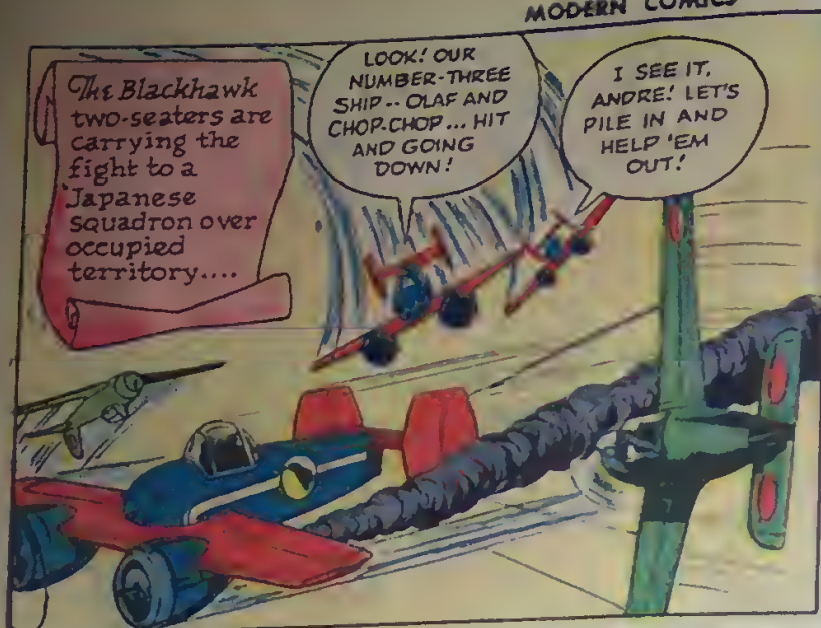


# BLACK HAWK



*The BLACKHAWKS seek the full measure of vengeance on the devil-tyrants of the world and find themselves in the clutches of the menace of MAYAKAWA!*





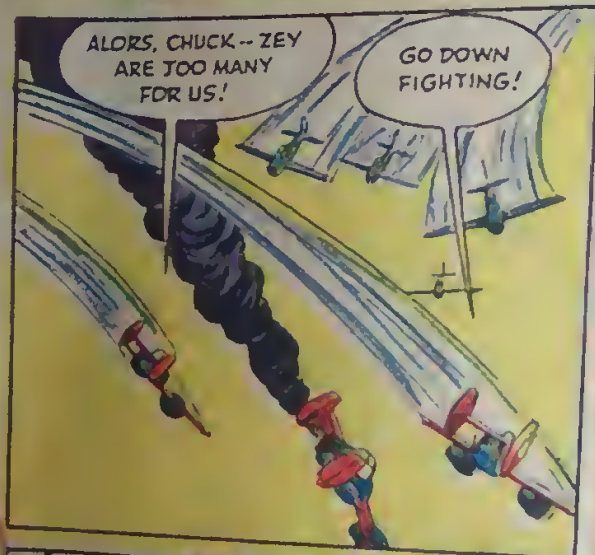
The Blackhawk two-seaters are carrying the fight to a Japanese Squadron over occupied territory....

LOOK! OUR NUMBER-THREE SHIP... OLAF AND CHOP-CHOP... HIT AND GOING DOWN!

I SEE IT, ANDRE! LET'S PILE IN AND HELP 'EM OUT!



TO ALL PLANES! - BLACK-HAWK CRAFTS CONCENTRATE TO SAVE COMRADE - ALL ATTACK THEM!



ALORS, CHUCK -- ZEY ARE TOO MANY FOR US!

GO DOWN FIGHTING!



BETTER YOU TAKE IT ON LAM, CHOP-CHOP --AY BAN WOUNDED!

IS TOO LATE OLAF! JAPANESE GROUND FORCES CAPTURE US!



OKAY DOWN THERE, ANDRE?

SO FAR --BUT YES! HOWEVER, REGARD ZE ENEMY SWARMING TO US!



YOU ARE GROUNDED... OUTNUMBERED... UNARMED! USELESS TO RESIST CAPTURE!

WE WON'T ARGUE THE POINT - FOR THE PRESENT

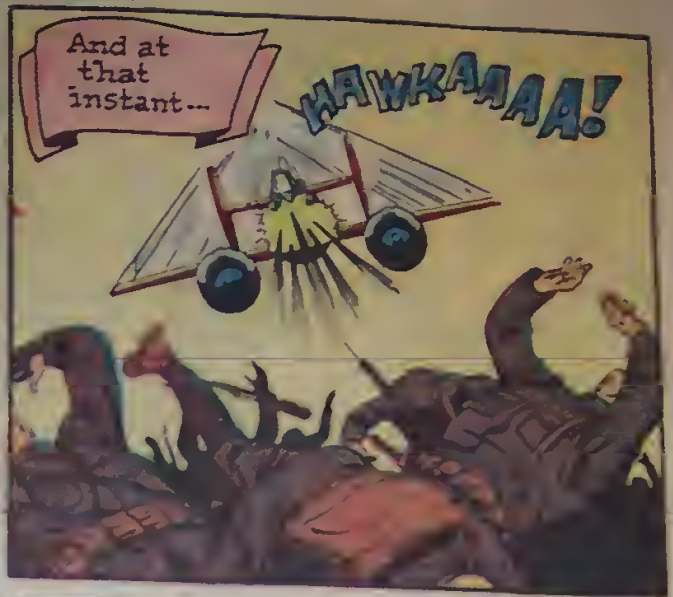


CHOP-CHOP ZEY GO --AND C



I BE KN









BLACKHAWK!  
THEY CAUGHT  
UP WITH YOU!

CHUCK!  
I CAUGHT UP  
WITH THEM!



WE ALWAYS STICK  
TOGETHER, DON'T WE?  
WHEN I SAW YOU WERE  
CAPTURED, I HURRIED  
TO JOIN YOU!

MARCH,  
PRISONERS!  
COMMANDER  
WISHES TO  
INTERVIEW  
YOU!



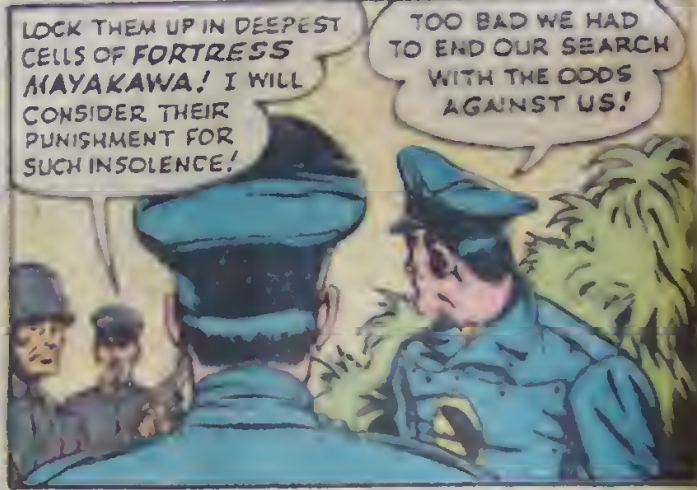
AH, CAPTURED  
BLACKHAWKS!  
DO YOU NOT  
TREMBLE TO  
SEE ME?

WE DON'T  
TREMBLE  
FOR ANY  
ONE!



INSULTS! I AM THE  
GREAT GENERAL  
SAKYO--PERSONAL  
FRIEND OF JAPANESE  
MIKADO---

GENERAL SAKYO!--THE  
MIKADO'S MAD MAN!  
... THEN WE'RE IN  
LUCK, AFTER ALL!  
WE'VE BEEN LOOKING  
FOR YOU!



LOCK THEM UP IN DEEPEST  
CELLS OF FORTRESS  
MAYAKAWA! I WILL  
CONSIDER THEIR  
PUNISHMENT FOR  
SUCH INSOLENCE!

TOO BAD WE HAD  
TO END OUR SEARCH  
WITH THE ODDS  
AGAINST US!



SO THIS IS  
FORTRESS  
MAYAKAWA!  
... JAPANESE  
HEADQUARTERS  
FOR ALL THIS  
REGION!

WE STORE  
MANY THINGS  
HERE ---  
INCLUDING  
YOU,  
BLACKHAWKS!



INSIDE WITH  
YOU! YOU DON'T  
GET OUT OF  
THIS CELL!

DON'T GET MORE  
THAN A MONTH'S  
PAY ON THAT!





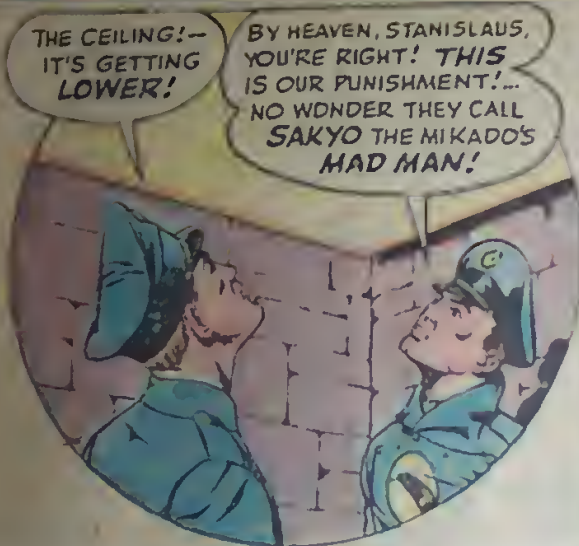
WHAT YOU DO?

WALL YOU UP INSIDE! ... PLAN PROPER PUNISHMENT LATER!



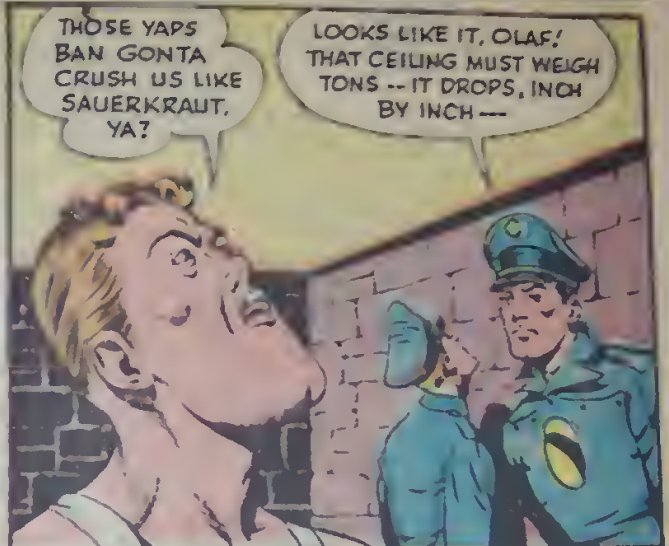
OF ALL THE LUCK! YOU STUMBLE RIGHT ONTO THE MENACE OF MAYAKAWA -- TO THIS!

BLACKHAWK! LOOK!



THE CEILING! -- IT'S GETTING LOWER!

BY HEAVEN, STANISLAUS, YOU'RE RIGHT! **THIS** IS OUR PUNISHMENT! ... NO WONDER THEY CALL SAKYO THE MIKADO'S MAD MAN!



THOSE YAPS BAN GONTA CRUSH US LIKE SAUERKRAUT, YA?

LOOKS LIKE IT, OLAF! THAT CEILING MUST WEIGH TONS -- IT DROPS, INCH BY INCH --



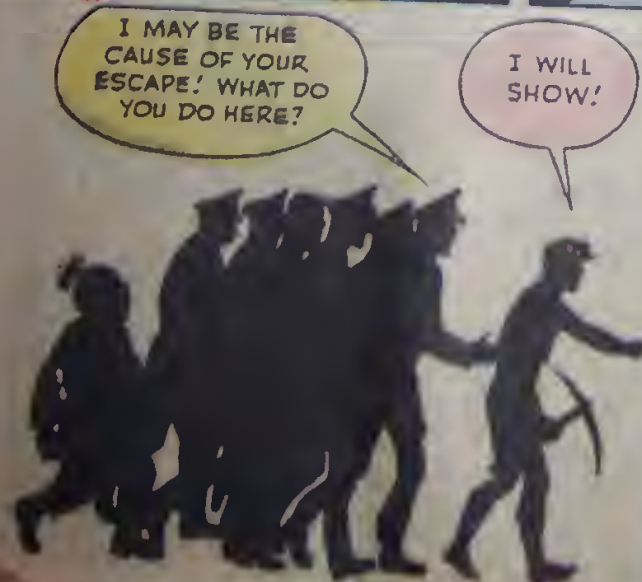
LOOK! -- DIS FLOOR SOUNDS HOLLOW -- BUT VOT ISS DER CHANCE OF DIGGING THROUGH?

SOME OF THESE STONES WOULD MOVE, BUT THE WALLS ARE A DOZEN FEET THICK!



LOOSE STONE? -- GET THEM, CHUCK! -- LOTS OF THEM!

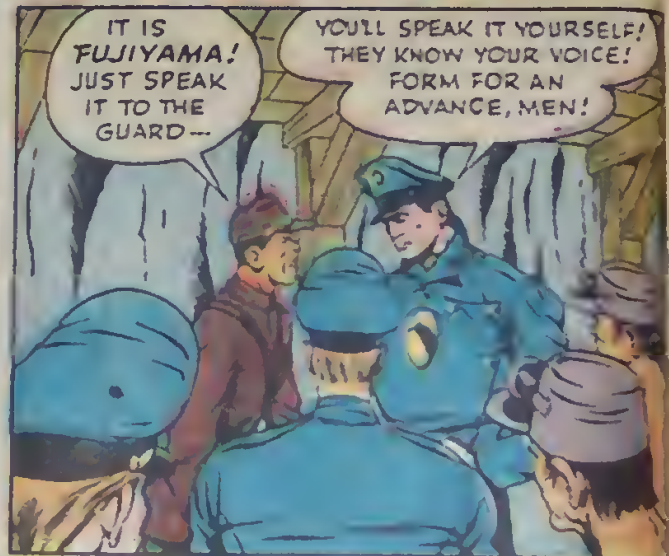




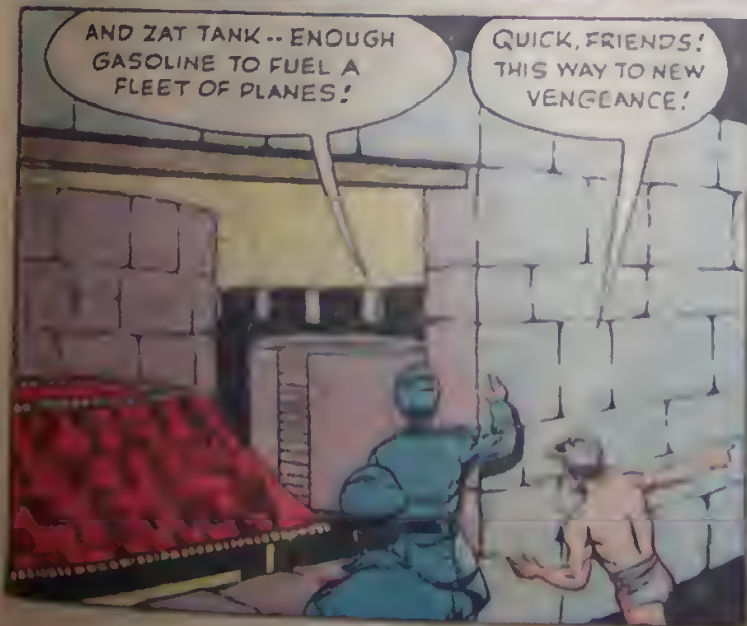
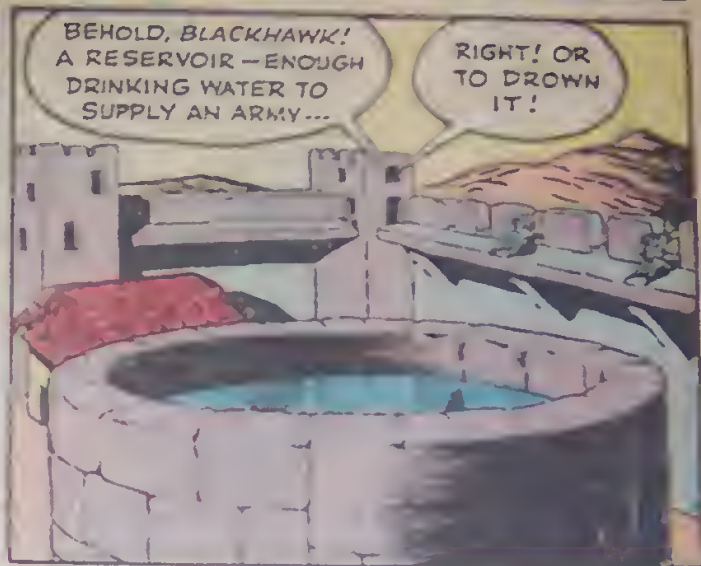




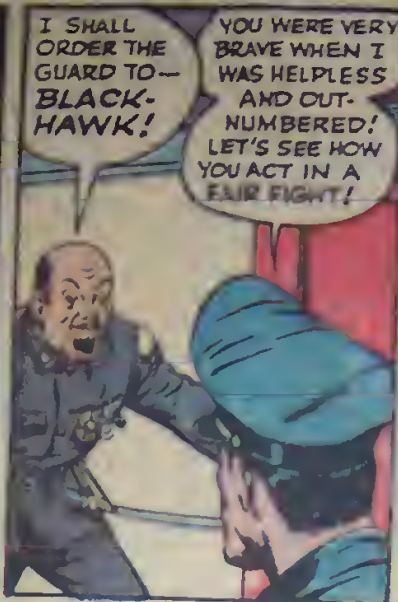














Throughout the fortress  
rings a warning....

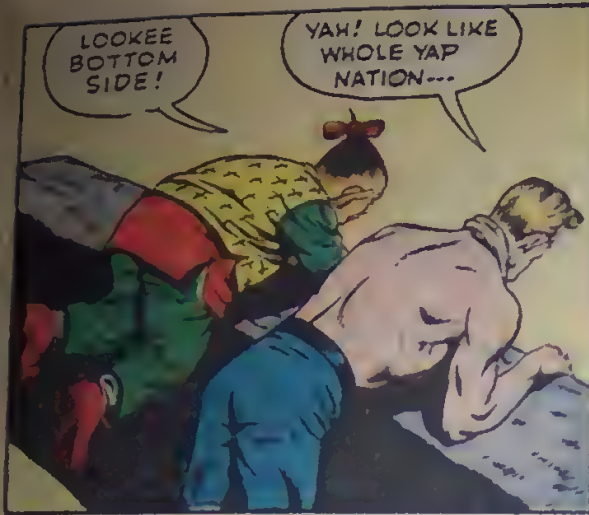
GENERAL SIGNALS  
FOR HELP! QUICK--  
TO HIS QUARTERS!

EN ROUTE,  
BLACKHAWK!  
ZE SOLDIERS  
COME ZIS  
WAY!

THEN I'LL KEEP  
THIS SPECIMEN  
ALIVE -- AS A  
HOSTAGE!







LOOKEE  
BOTTOM  
SIDE!

YAH! LOOK LIKE  
WHOLE YAP  
NATION---



RIGHT, OLAF!  
WE'RE TREED UP  
HERE LIKE  
SQUIRRELS!



YOU WILL STAY UP  
HERE UNTIL HUNGER  
DRIVES YOU DOWN!  
THEN -- **DOUBLE  
TORTURES!**

SHUT YOUR  
MOUTH --  
OR I'LL TIE  
YOUR NECK  
IN A  
KNOT!



YOU DARE NOT  
HARM ME!...  
ONLY IF I LIVE  
CAN I PROTECT  
YOU!

LOOK  
BELOW!  
THEY MAKE  
SIGNALS --  
PERHAPS FOR  
TRUCE!



ONE OF THE  
ESCAPED SLAVES  
SHOWS  
HIMSELF!



OHNNNN!

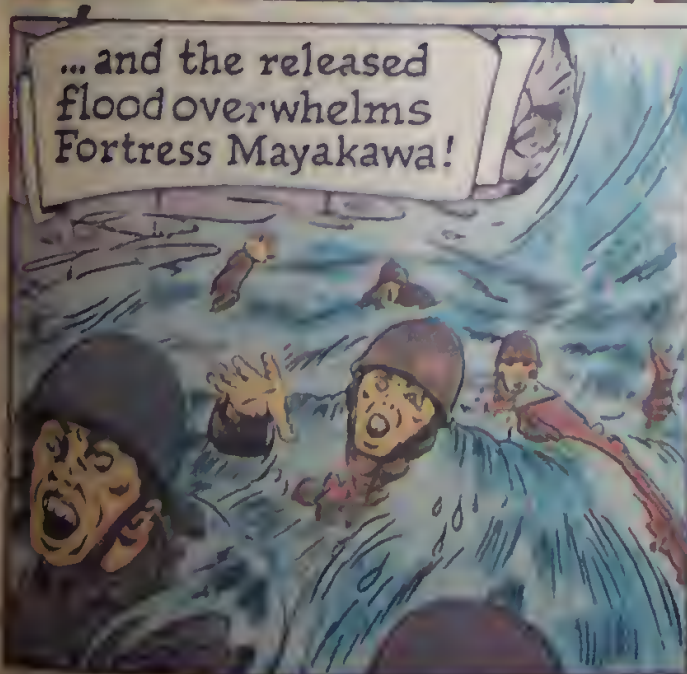
I WILL KILL THE  
RIFLEMAN WHO  
SHOT YOU!



I STRUCK MY  
MARK! BUT NOW  
I AM WITHOUT MY  
PICKAXE FOR  
A WEAPON!

MAYBE WE CAN  
OPEN FIRE WITH  
THIS LITTLE  
GUN!







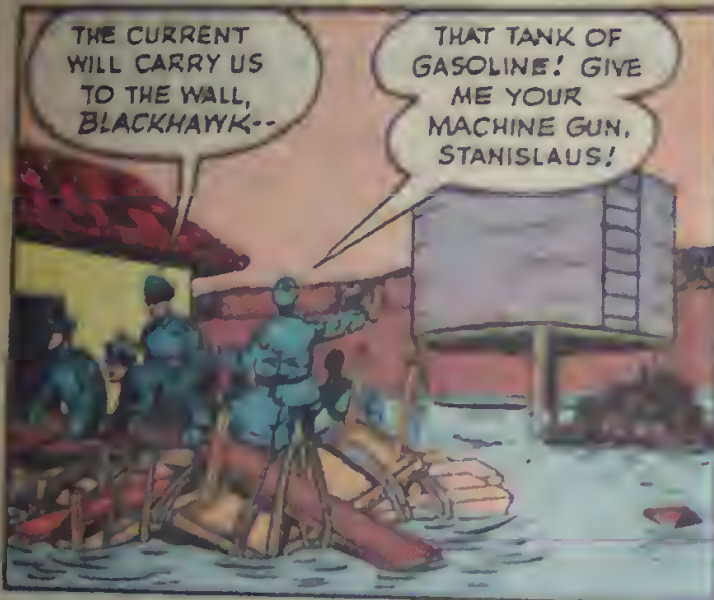


RUSH THEM OFF  
THEIR FEET! GRAB  
THEIR WEAPONS!



HOW'LL WE  
BUCK THAT  
FLOOD?

GET ALL THE  
FURNITURE - ROPE  
IT TOGETHER  
INTO RAFTS!



THE CURRENT  
WILL CARRY US  
TO THE WALL,  
BLACKHAWK--

THAT TANK OF  
GASOLINE! GIVE  
ME YOUR  
MACHINE GUN,  
STANISLAUS!



I KNEW IT -  
INCENDIARY  
BULLETS!



PUSH FOR THE WALL,  
QUICK! THAT BURNING  
GASOLINE WILL SPREAD  
OVER THE WATER!



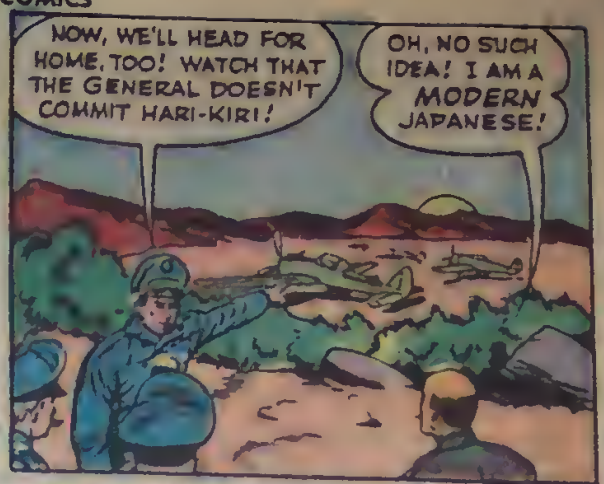
HERE, TAKE OUR DISTINGUISHED  
PRISONER, CLAF! WE'LL KEEP HIM  
AS A REMEMBRANCE OF  
FORTRESS MAYAKAWA!





YOU ARE FREE! REJOIN  
YOUR PEOPLE -- HELP THEM  
GAIN FINAL  
VICTORY!

A THOUSAND  
THANKS,  
BLACKHAWK!



NOW, WE'LL HEAD FOR  
HOME, TOO! WATCH THAT  
THE GENERAL DOESN'T  
COMMIT HARI-KIRI!

OH, NO SUCH  
IDEA! I AM A  
MODERN  
JAPANESE!



A FEW YEARS FROM NOW, YOU  
FOOLISH DEMOCRACIES WILL  
FORGET ABOUT DEFENSE!  
WE CAN ORGANIZE-- ARM--  
FIGHT YOU AGAIN---



As the freed  
slaves depart...

I HAVE ONE  
MORE DEBT  
TO PAY!



HE BAN  
DEAD-- WHAT  
WE DO?

LEAVE HIM  
WHERE HE  
FELL!... A SUITABLE  
FINISH TO THE  
MENACE OF  
MAYAKAWA!



Later...

IT'S NOT AS WELL  
FORTIFIED AS MAYAKAWA!  
...BUT THERE'S NO  
PLACE LIKE HOME!



ONLY THE  
BEST FOR THE  
WOUNDED!

THE VERY BEST! ... I  
COOKED IT MYSELF!  
... EGGS FOO YUNG  
AND TEA!

YIPPEE!



# CHOO CHOO

BOOOO!



OH, NO, YOU  
DON'T!

UNGH!

BANG!

OHH!

CHOO CHOO!  
WHAT'S THE BIG  
IDEA? YOU  
SCARED ME  
HALF TO  
DEATH!

TOO BAD  
JOB OF  
NEW J

I'M  
AN E  
COU  
VER  
DRA  
S

ISN'T IT  
CHERRY  
DOESN  
CENT!  
THEY



TOO BAD I DID SUCH A CONVINCING  
JOB OF ACTING! IT'S PART OF MY  
NEW JOB, STUPID!



YOU MEAN YOU'VE  
ACTUALLY GOT A  
PART IN A PLAY?

WELL, NOT EXACTLY---



I'M TAKING  
AN EXTENDED  
COURSE AT A  
VERY MODERN  
DRAMATICS  
SCHOOL!



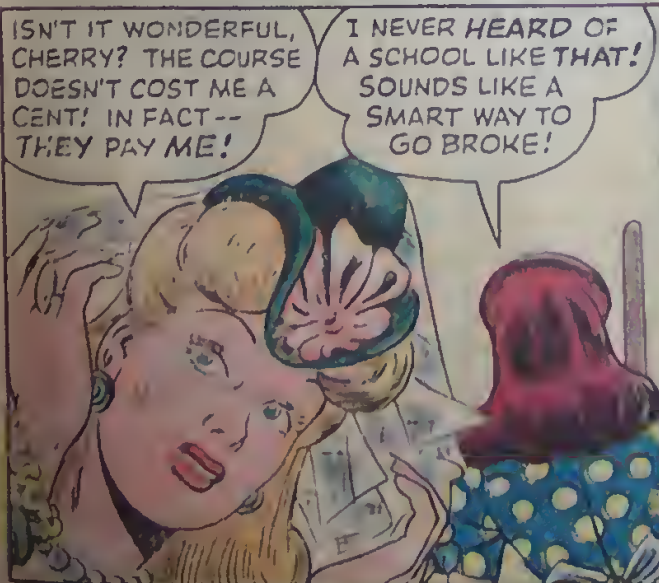
I MUST HURRY! I  
DON'T WANT TO BE  
LATE FOR MY  
FIRST LESSON!

I CERTAINLY HOPE  
THEY DON'T GIVE YOU  
ANY MORE HOME  
WORK TO DO!



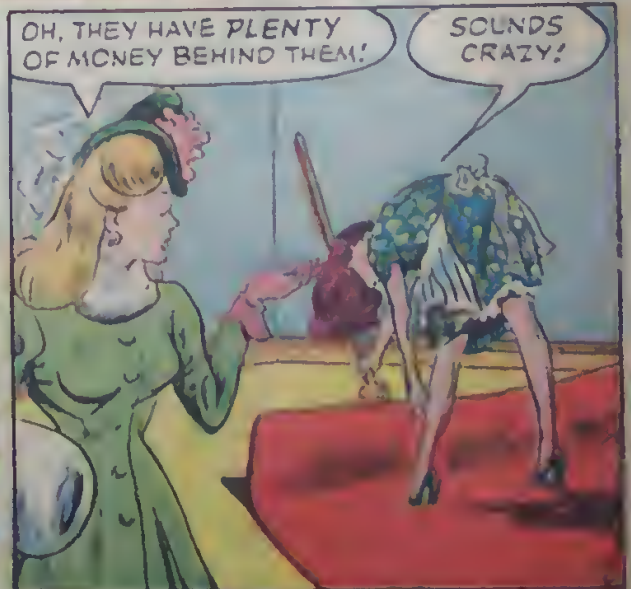
ISN'T IT WONDERFUL,  
CHERRY? THE COURSE  
DOESN'T COST ME A  
CENT! IN FACT--  
THEY PAY ME!

I NEVER HEARD OF  
A SCHOOL LIKE THAT!  
SOUNDS LIKE A  
SMART WAY TO  
GO BROKE!



OH, THEY HAVE PLENTY  
OF MONEY BEHIND THEM!

SOUNDS  
CRAZY!







TOODLE-DO!  
I'M OFF TO MY  
FIRST LESSON!  
WE'RE DOING IT  
RIGHT ON THE  
STREET! THEY  
DO SO STRIVE  
FOR  
REALITY!

Meanwhile...



THAT NEW GAL, CHOO CHOO.  
IS GOING TO MEET US  
ON THE SET!  
GET IT?

SURE,  
BOSS!



COME ON! THE CAR IS READY! WE'LL  
HAVE TO GET DOWN THERE FAST AND  
PLEASE REMEMBER THAT YOU'RE  
AN ACTOR!



AH THERE IS CHOO  
CHOO NOW! GIVE HER  
THE SIGNAL, GUS!

OKAY, BOSS!



WHY, THERE'S MR. ALEX,  
THE COACH NOW! HOPE  
I DON'T MISS MY CUE!  
HE SAID I'D HAVE ONLY  
ONE CHANCE!



YEE.  
OWWW!

MY PART IS TO FAINT WHEN  
I HEAR SOMEONE YELL --















Next Day---

CHOO CHOO  
IS A WHIZ!  
A NATURAL  
--- DOPE!

YEAH,  
BOSS!



THIS WILL BE OUR  
BIGGEST JOB!  
THEN WE'LL GO ON  
A VACATION!

I HOPE IT'S  
A LONG ONE,  
BOSS!



THERE'S THE CAR  
NOW! OH BOY, I'D  
BETTER NOT MISS  
THIS TIME!



THIS IS  
MY BIG  
MOMENT!

YEEHAW!  
HELP,  
POLICE!



BOY, THIS  
IS A  
CINCH!



UNH! HEY,  
THAT'S NOT  
IN THE  
SCRIPT!

IT'S MY  
MINE!



WHAM!







# DEATH PATROL

NOTICE TO VISITORS  
ENTERING **GEYSER'S  
GULCH...**  
SORRY, BUT THE GEYSER  
IS NO LONGER ACTIVE.  
*Signed - The SHERIFF*

THAT'S WHY I'M  
HERE! AH! I'M  
A GEYSER FIXER!



by AL STANLEY

You've all heard the tale of the **PIED  
PIPER**, but this is the story of  
only a **Piper** - or one who uses  
**PIPES** for **GEYSER REJUVENATION**

OFFICE  
OF THE  
SHERIFF

AH... HE'S  
MY MAN!

HOWDY, SHERIFF! -  
HOW'S THE TOURIST  
BUSINESS? TERRIBLE,  
I HOPE!

ER...  
HUH?





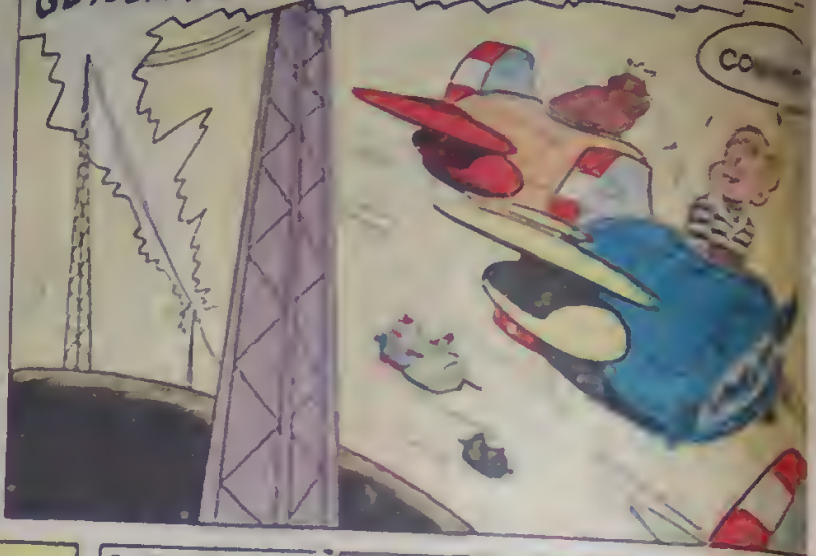




SUMMON DEATH PATROL!  
I'VE BEEN TRICKED BY  
A WISE GEYSER!



**HELP!** DEATH PATROL!  
GEYSER RUNS WILD IN GEYSER'S GULCH..



HMMM! LOOKS LIKE  
WE HAVE TO FIGHT  
MOTHER NATURE  
HERSELF!

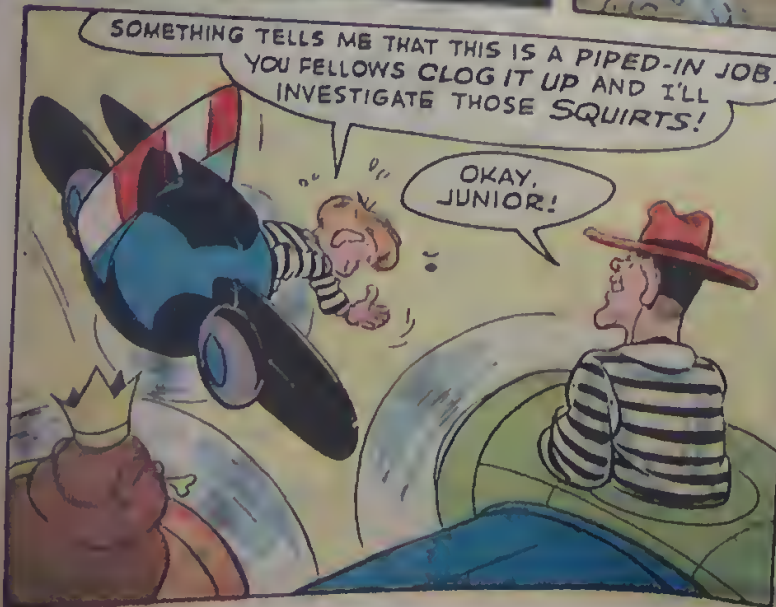


I WOULDN'T BE  
TOO SURE ABOUT  
THAT, FELLOWS!  
YOU SEE THOSE  
SQUIRTS OF  
WATER LEADING  
TO THE  
GEYSER.....  
HMMM!

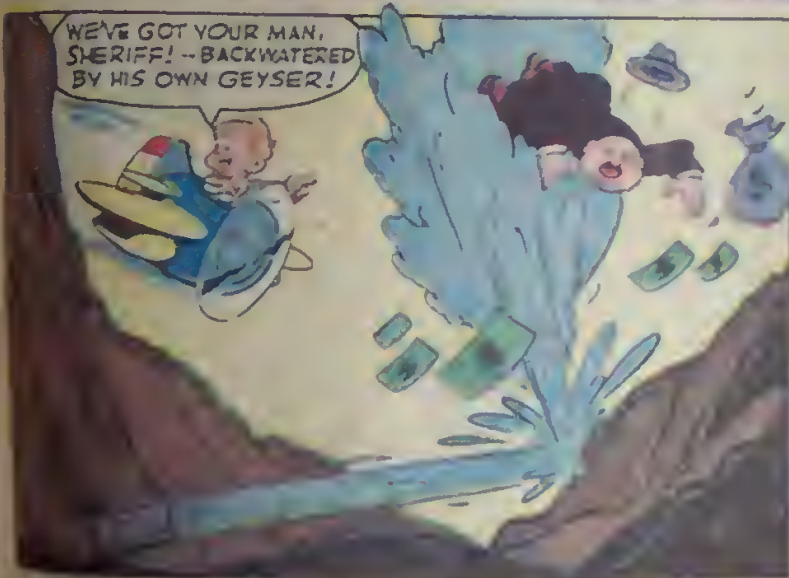


SOMETHING TELLS ME THAT THIS IS A PIPED-IN JOB!  
YOU FELLOWS CLOG IT UP AND I'LL  
INVESTIGATE THOSE SQUIRTS!

OKAY,  
JUNIOR!









# JOHNNY DOUGHBOY

YOU SAY YOU WENT TO HARVARD?

HONOR GRADUATE! ALSO HOLD DEGREES FROM YALE, PRINCETON AND OXFORD!

BUT THAT AMERICA! NEVER COULD I STAND TO LIVE THERE!

THOSE CROWDED STREETS AND SUBWAYS--AND EVERYBODY IN A HURRY-- TOO TOO UNCOMFORTABLE!

AND THOSE LAUNDRIES!... ALWAYS DID THEY SEND MY SHIRTS BACK WITH TOO MUCH STARCH... VERY UNCOMFORTABLE!

AND SOMETIMES I HAVE TO WEAR DRESS SUIT AND HIGH WING COLLAR THAT CUT MY NECK-- OH, WHAT UNCOMFORTABLE CUSTOM!

ALSO I HAVE TO WEAR SHOES THAT PINCH! DEAH! HOW CAN I BE SAGE AND SOLVE MYSTERY OF THE AGES WIZ MY FEET FULL OF BUNIONS AN' WATER BUSTERS!

MERE THOUGHT OF THAT UNCOMFORTABLE AMERICA MAKE ME GROAN! ONCE I TAKE SHOWER AND WATER TOO COLD-- OH, WHAT PAIN!

COULDN'T YOU O' TOOK A WARM SHOWER?

YES! AND WHAT HAPPENS? FIRST I GET GOOSER PIMPLES FROM TOO COLD-- THEN I BURN RED FROM TOO HOT! AMERICA NO PLACE FOR TENDER SKINS AND SENSITIVE SOULS LIKE MINE!

GLAD TO BE BACK HOME HERE, EH?

YES! AT LAST---

--I CAN RELAX IN COMFORT!

S'LONG, MR. GUNGA!

A  
IT M  
FEEL  
FLYIN  
MY C  
LIK

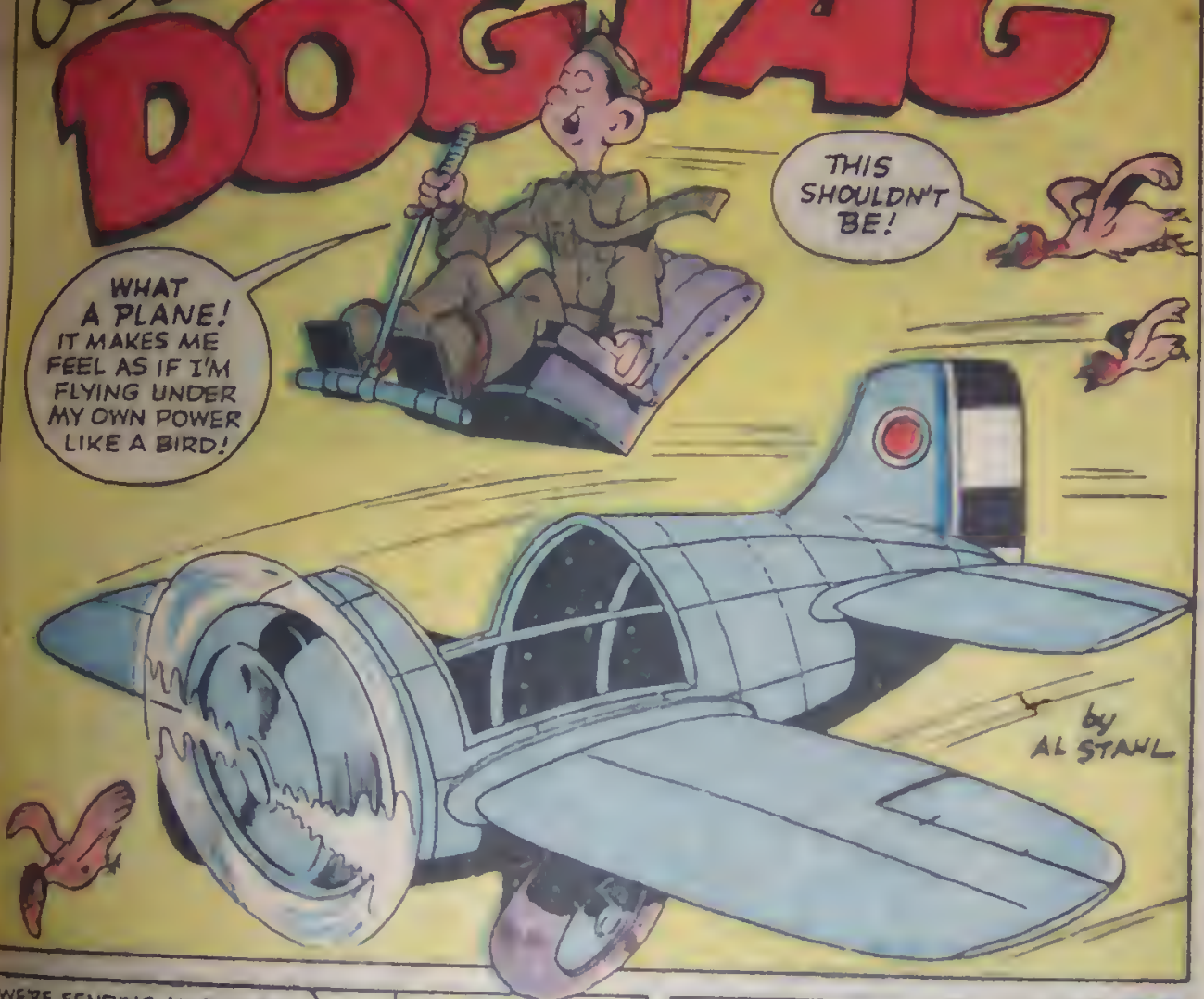
WE'RE SE  
OF ARMY  
MODERN  
PUT ONE  
GUARD



# Private DOG TAG

WHAT  
A PLANE!  
IT MAKES ME  
FEEL AS IF I'M  
FLYING UNDER  
MY OWN POWER  
LIKE A BIRD!

THIS  
SHOULDN'T  
BE!



WE'RE SENDING AN EXHIBIT  
OF ARMY EQUIPMENT TO THE  
MODERN SCIENCE SHOW!  
PUT ONE SOLDIER ON  
GUARD DUTY THERE!

YES,  
SIR!

AT LAST -- A WAY TO GET THAT PEST  
DOGTAG OUT OF MY WAY FOR A  
COUPLE OF WEEKS! AND HE  
WON'T BE ABLE TO GET  
INTO TROUBLE!...

DOGTAG!





BLAH... BLAH... BLAH! AND WHAT'S MORE, DON'T FORGET YOU'LL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ARMY'S PROPERTY! GUARD IT WITH YOUR LIFE!

SURE, SARGE!



NOTHING LIKE MAKING A NUMBSKULL THINK HIS JOB'S IMPORTANT! -- IF YOU WANNA MAKE SURE HE'LL DO IT!



TODAY -- THE MODERN SCIENCE SHOW

YIPPEE! I'M A COMMANDO!

OH, JUNIOR! YOU THINK OF THE CUTEST THINGS!



I'LL WIPE OUT THE ENEMY SINGLE HANDED!



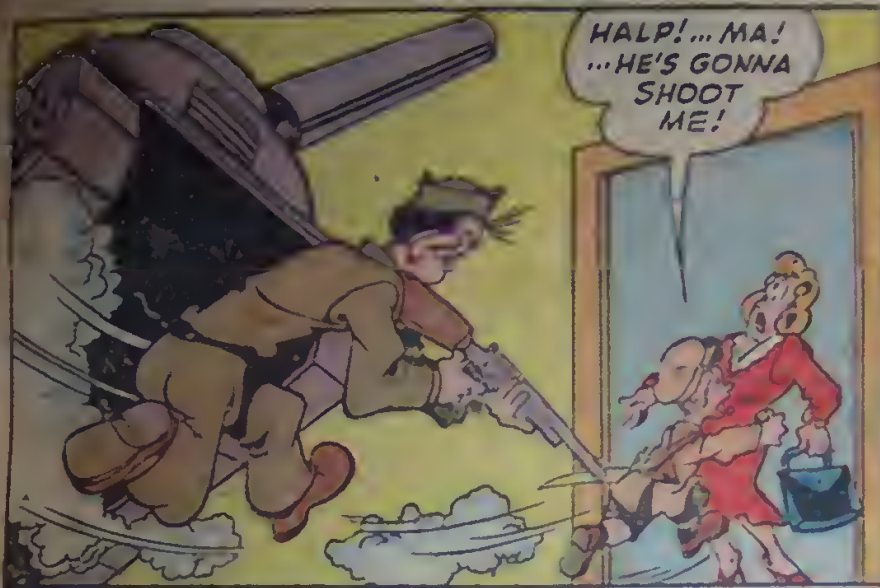
ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN

WATCH ME DEMOLISH THIS BIG GUN!

GONNA FIRE AT ARMY PROPERTY, HUH? I'LL SHOW YOU!







HALP!... MA!  
...HE'S GONNA  
SHOOT  
ME!



OH, HE IS, IS  
HE? THE BIG  
BULLY!



THIS'LL CHANGE  
HIS MIND FOR  
HIM!

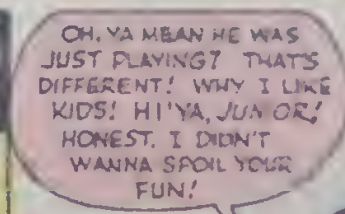


EEEE-O-O-W!

I'LL TEACH YOU  
TO SHOOT A PLAYFUL,  
INNOCENT  
CHILD!



APOLOGIZE TO JUNIOR  
AND TELL HIM YOU'RE  
SORRY YOU SPOILED  
HIS GAME!

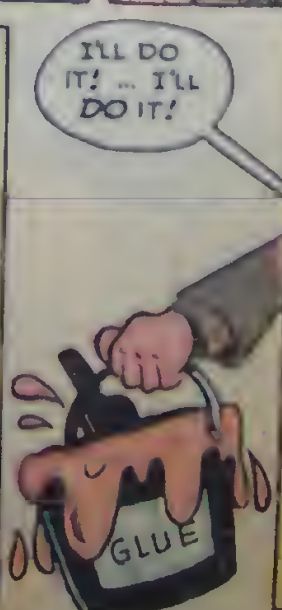
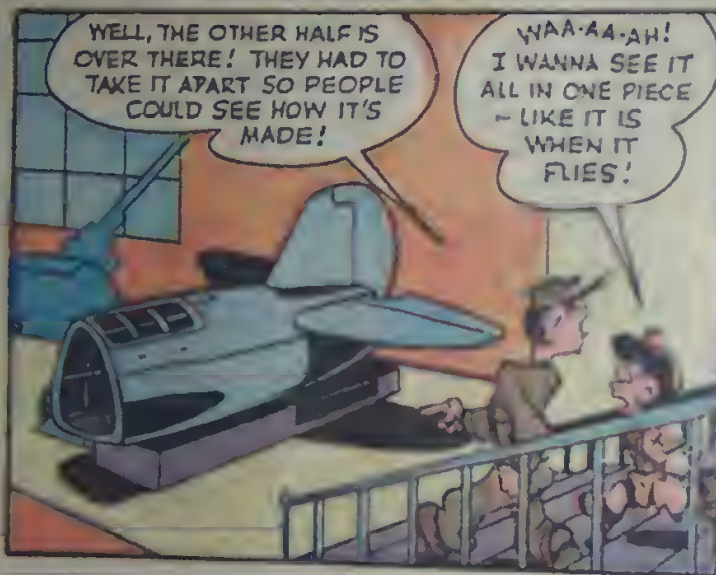
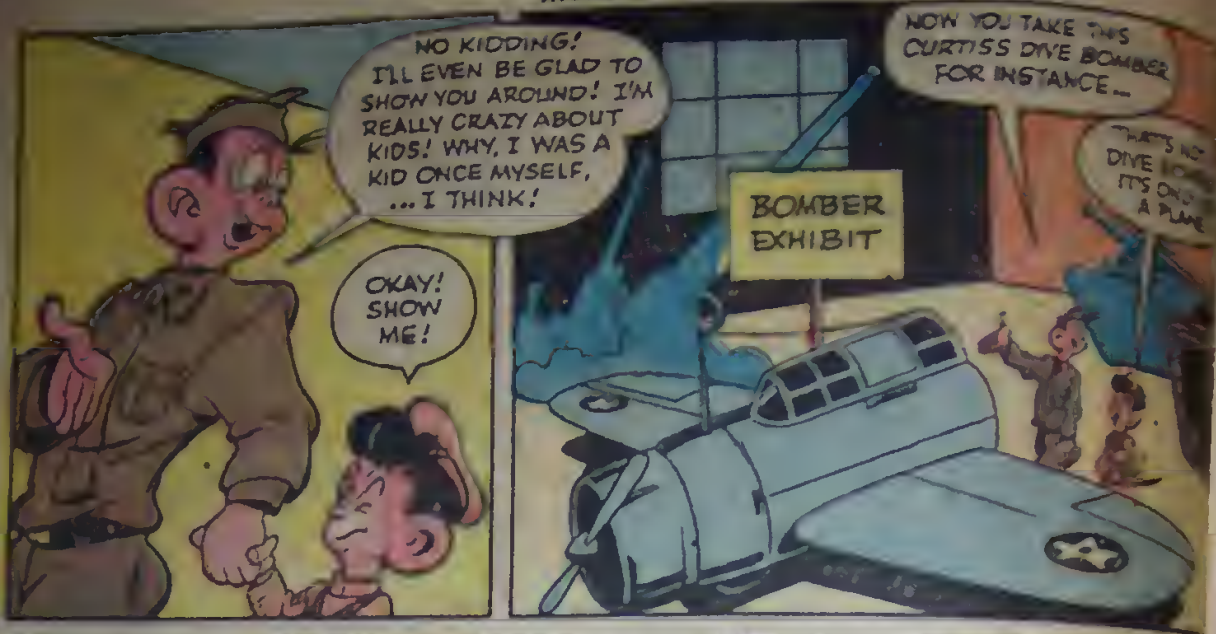


OH, YA MEAN HE WAS  
JUST PLAYING? THAT'S  
DIFFERENT! WHY I LIKE  
KIDS! HI'YA, JUNIOR!  
HONEST, I DIDN'T  
WANNA SPOIL YOUR  
FUN!

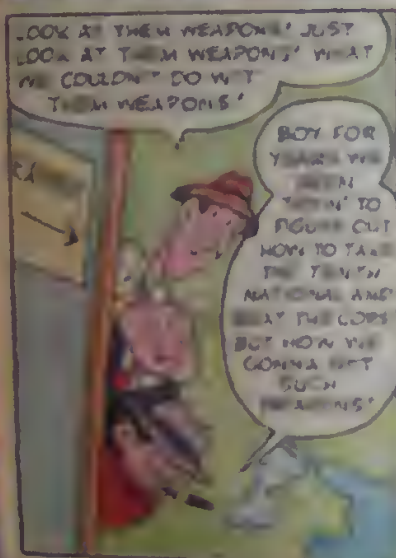


OH,  
YEAH?

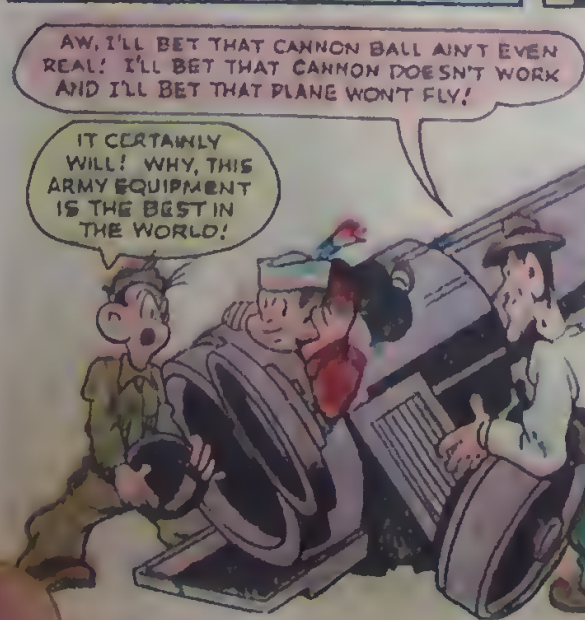
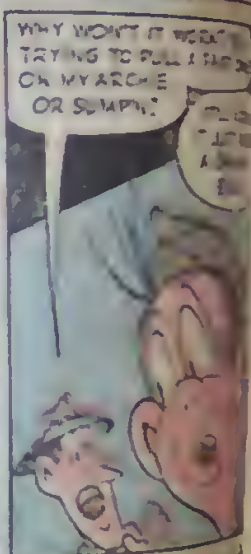




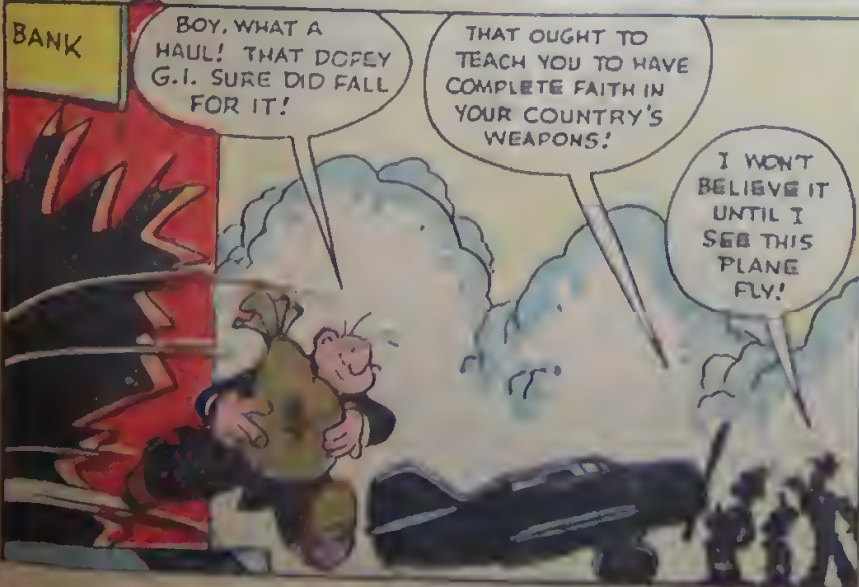
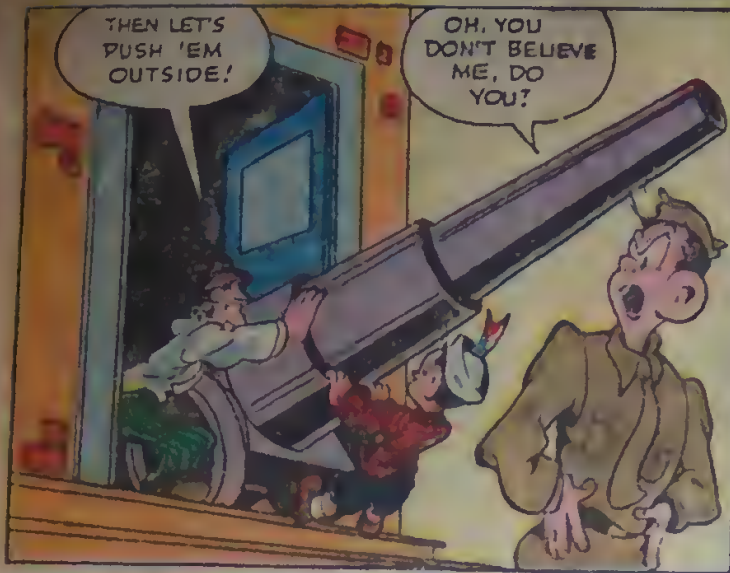




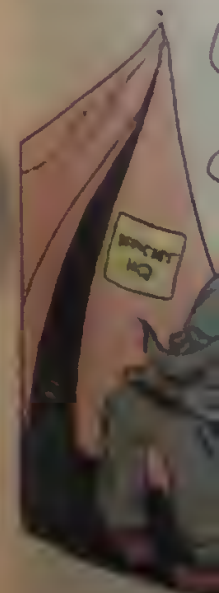
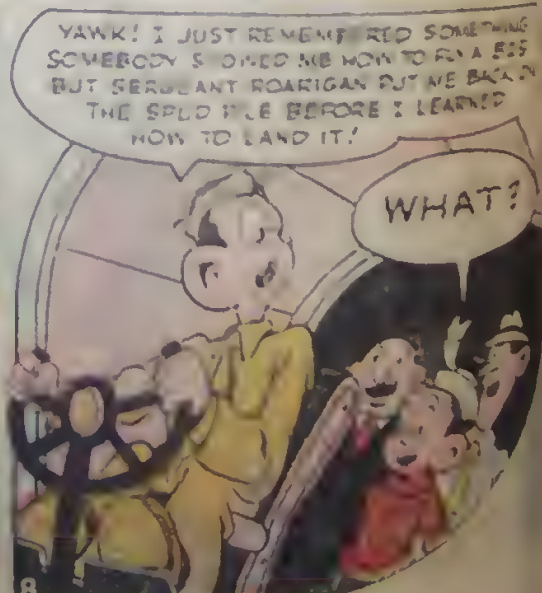




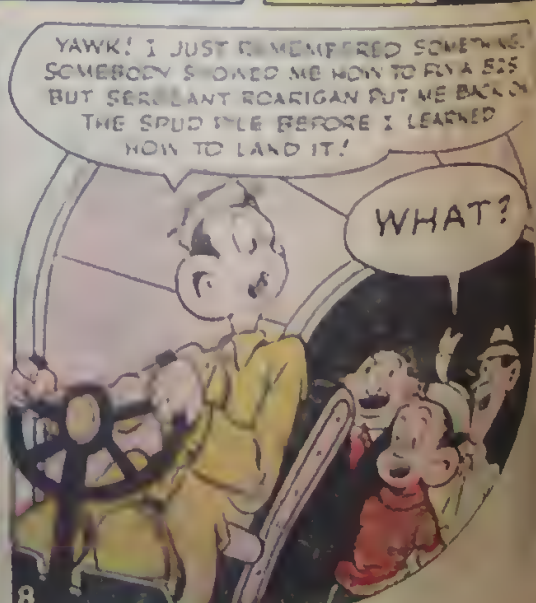
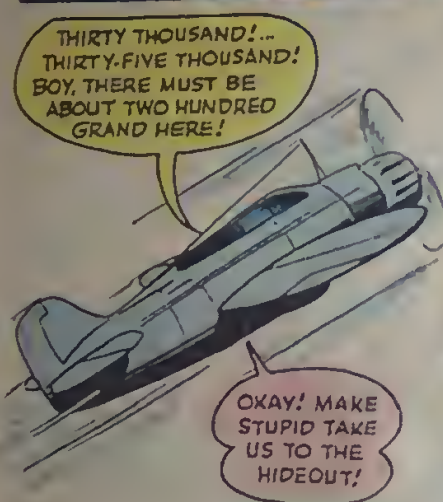
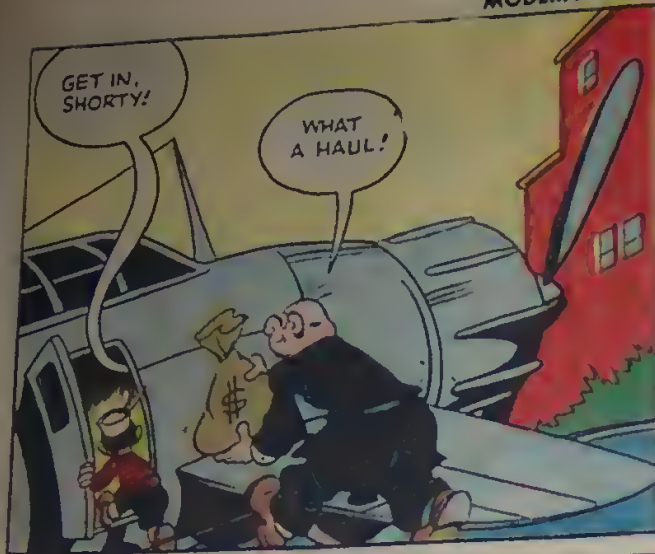




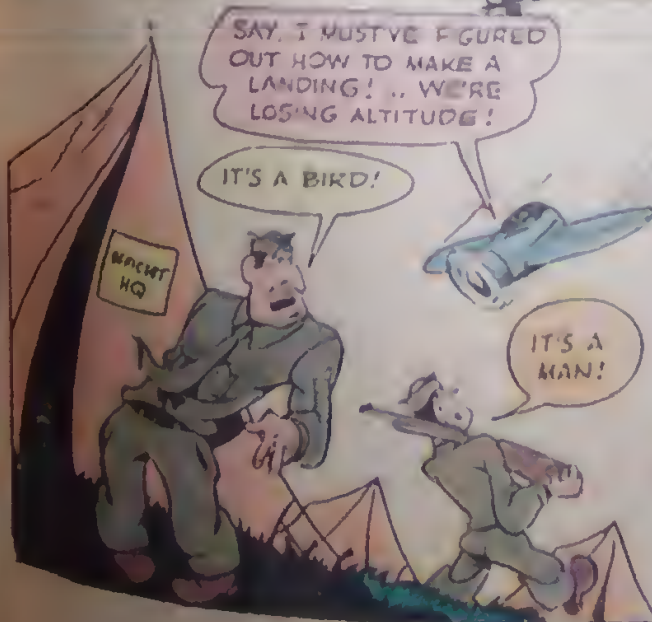
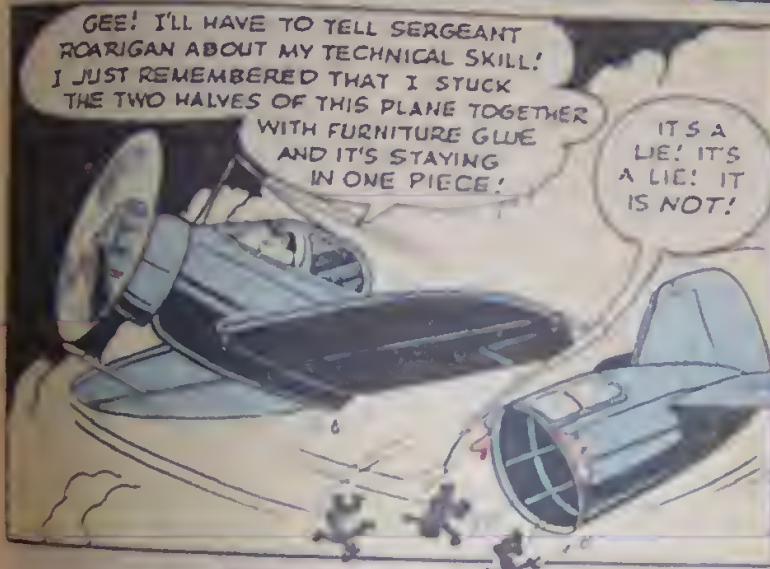
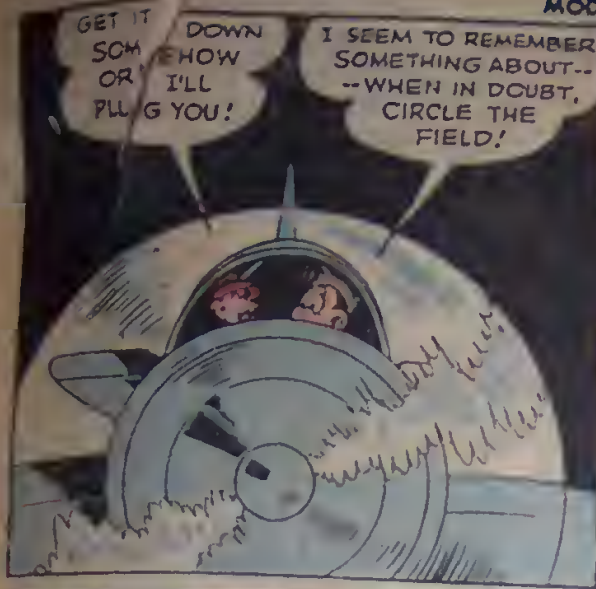


















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When the men left the place, a dark shadow followed them. It watched as each man got his dogs untangled from their traces. Then they disappeared into the night.

Skagway went to his cabin and quickly got into his furs. Hurriedly packing a sled load of food and ammunition, he soon was on the trail. He knew exactly where the men were headed. No sense getting too close to the fellows. So he lagged back a couple of miles.

The scene of the new strike was one of wild confusion. Men panned gold as if they were fighting for their very lives. And there was plenty of gold to pan. Strike news reaches far. And fast. Several hundred men were already at work, some staking claims, while others threw up rude shelters for gambling and eating places.

Skagway rode in on the crest of the wave, and it didn't take him long to get his bearings. He made his headquarters at the leading gambling hall, and there he played his crafty trade with enormous results. It was when a wild-eyed youth ran into the hall one night with a story of a fabulous strike by a certain miner that Skagway really got to work. He found out where the man had made his great find and set out for the place.

The lucky miner was loading great chunks of solid gold into his sled. Skagway lay in waiting for two hours, while the gold-crazed fellow heaped his sled. He hardly took care to stow food on the laden vehicle, gold was more important. When at last he took off, a shadow flitted behind him. He set his course directly south, following the Skagway trail. The snow was

hard packed. The temperature was far below zero.

The man camped well past midnight, in a place partly sheltered from the freezing blasts of wind. It was no place for Skagway to linger too long, so carefully he crept up close to the campfire. He kept down wind, so the miner's dogs would not scent him. That would be a give-away. Skagway knew all the tricks.

When the miner had crawled into his bedroll, Skagway crept close, listening, until the man's breathing grew heavy.

Slowly Skagway stirred. He picked up a big piece of firewood, hefted it. Then he brought it down on the sleeping man's head. A groan, then silence. He had added another murder to his long list.

Quickly he rifled the dead man's pockets and took their contents. Then he tossed the dogs. The lead dog, gray in the darkness, gave him plenty of trouble. Skagway kicked and cursed at the brute and received a severe gash in the calf

of the leg for his trouble.

A few miles down the trail, just as dawn was paling in the east, Skagway decided to call a halt and brew coffee and heat over a pot of beans. He tossed a few frozen fish to the team.

After his meal, he went again to the dogs. The big leader growled ominously, eyeing him savagely. Skagway lashed out with his whip, cruelly cutting the dog's nose. That was more than the animal could take. With a sharp yip, the great beast launched itself at his throat. Caught unawares, Skagway went down with the dog tearing at him. It was over in a minute.

Some trappers found the torn remains of Skagway. His crimes had caught up with him. The gold-laden sled stood nearby, with the dogs still fastened. One trapper, an Indian, nodded his head sagely.

Chilcoot he keel heem Skagway. It is better so Chilcoot no hurt anyone unless he do something to heem. Skagway keel Chilcoot's boot, Meggs.

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the bottom of the sea!



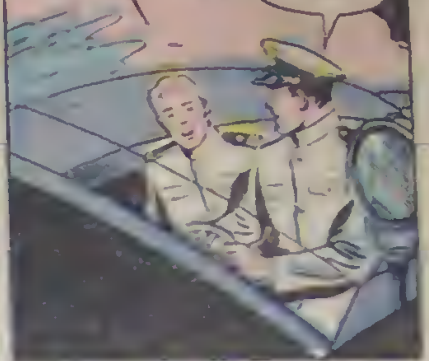


From a raid on enemy shipping, the PT Boat Squadron returns to its home base --



WE MUST BEAR A CHARMED LIFE! WHEN THAT JAP TANKER OPENED UP WITH ITS FORWARD GUN, I THOUGHT THEY'D BLOW US SKY HIGH!

WE'RE LIVING ON BORROWED TIME!



I CAN'T AFFORD TO GET KILLED! I'VE GOT A HEAVY DATE WITH A ---



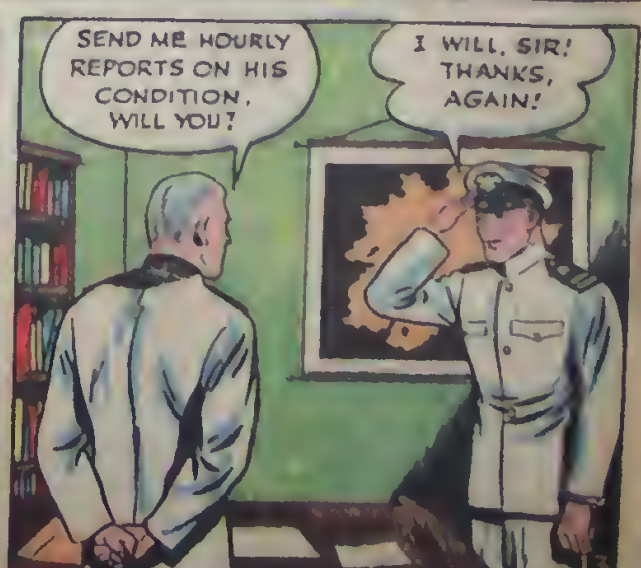
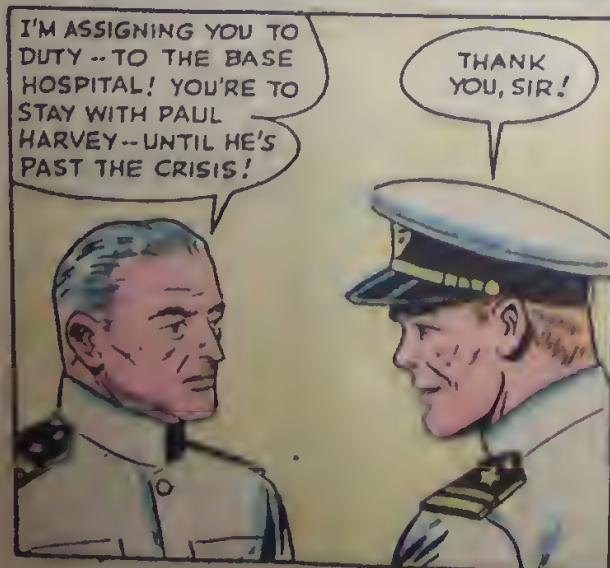
EEEEOWW! I ALMOST DIDN'T LIVE TO FINISH THAT SENTENCE!



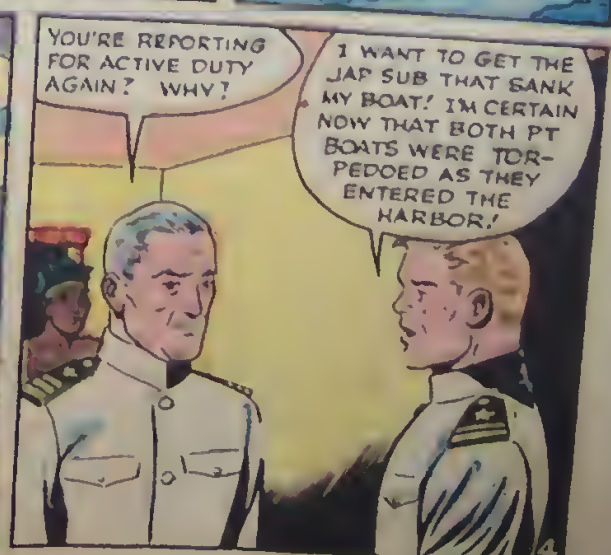
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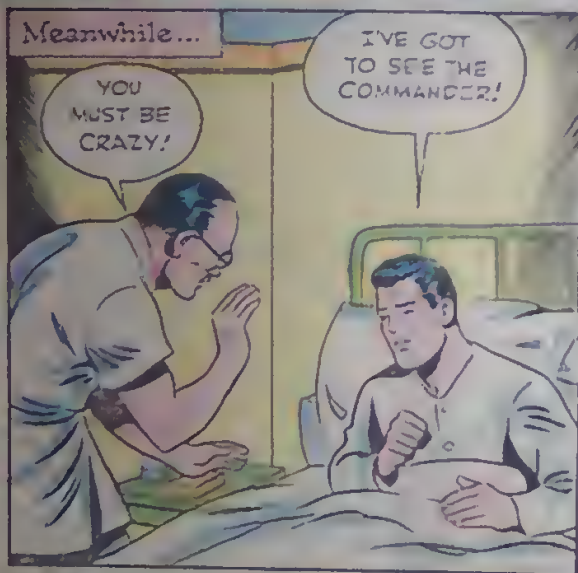
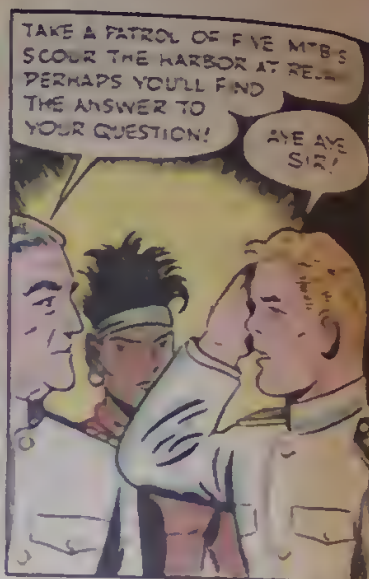
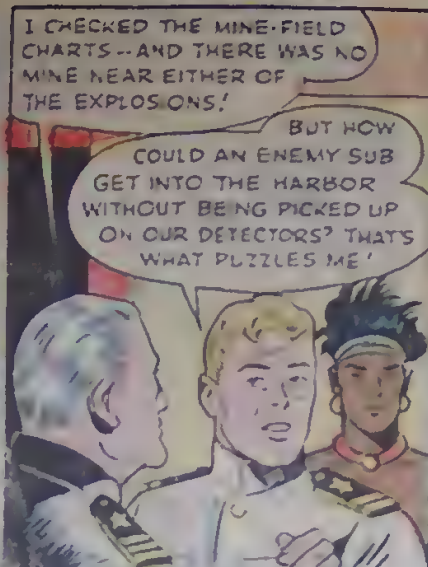
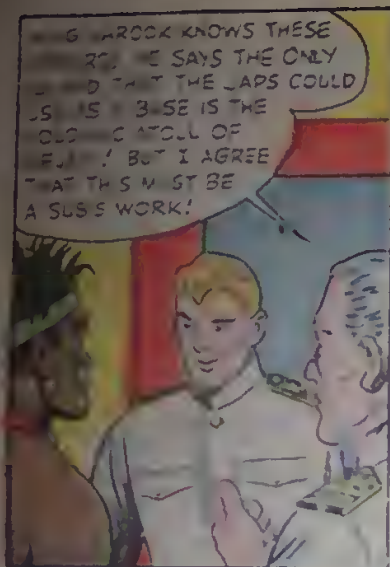














Under the command of Lieutenant Perry  
 Tobias a patrol of PT Boats rockets out  
 of the naval base ...



I'M GLAD YOU CAME,  
 KING NAROOK! WE'RE  
 NOT TOO FAMILIAR  
 WITH THE REJAVI  
 ATOLL DISTRICT!

WE SHOW  
 YOU THE  
 WAY!



COME FROM SOUTH!  
 JAPANESE NO SEE US UNTIL  
 WE GO AROUND  
 ISLAND!

YOU'RE  
 CALLING  
 THE SHOTS!



THERE'S  
 THE  
 HARBOR!



JAP SHORE GUNS!  
 HOLD ONTO YOUR HATS  
 WE'RE GOING TO RUN  
 THE BARRAGE!



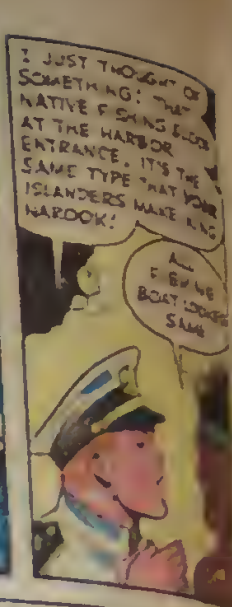
NO SIGN OF ENEMY  
 SUBS! BUT THE SHORE  
 GUNS ARE GETTING  
 THE RANGE!



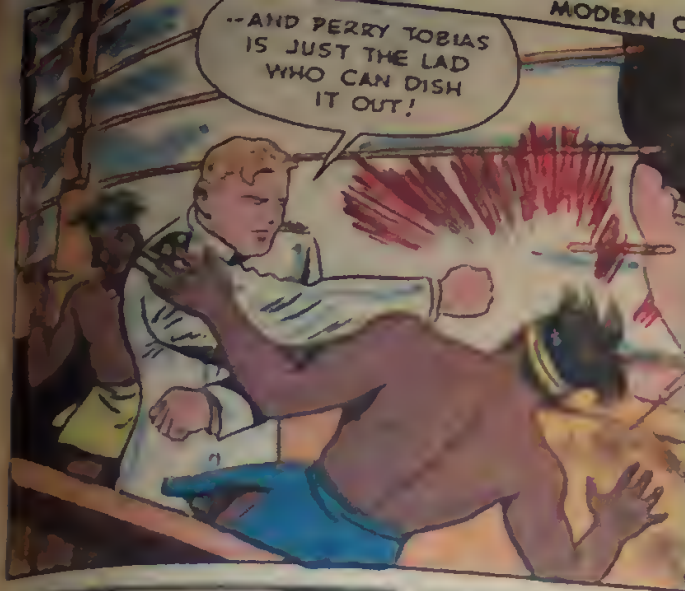
WE'D BETTER  
 HIGHTAIL OUT  
 OF HERE!



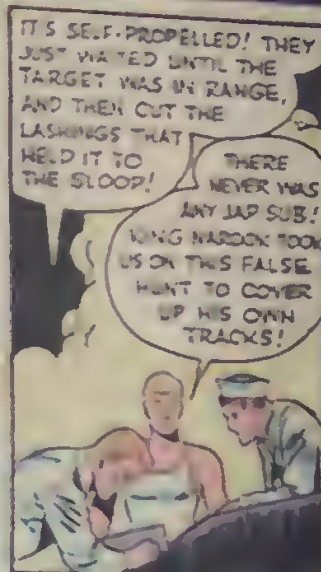




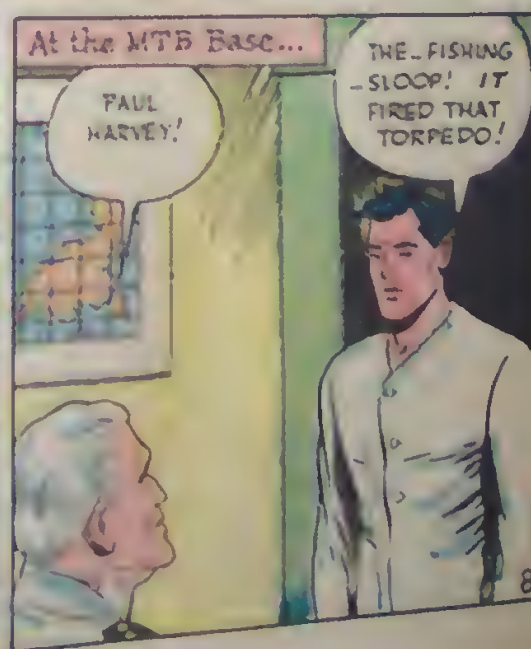




RIGHT, SIR! THIS TORPEDO'S COCKED AND READY TO GO!



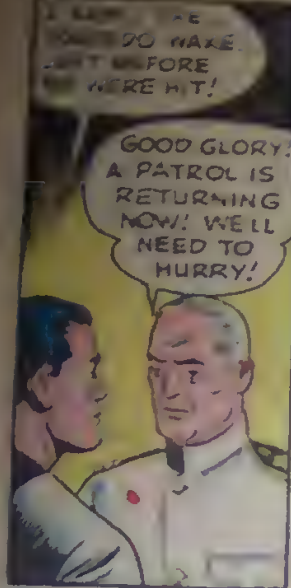
THERE NEVER WAS ANY JAP SUB! KING NAROOK TOOK US ON THIS FALSE HUNT TO COVER UP HIS OWN TRACKS!



PAUL HARVEY!

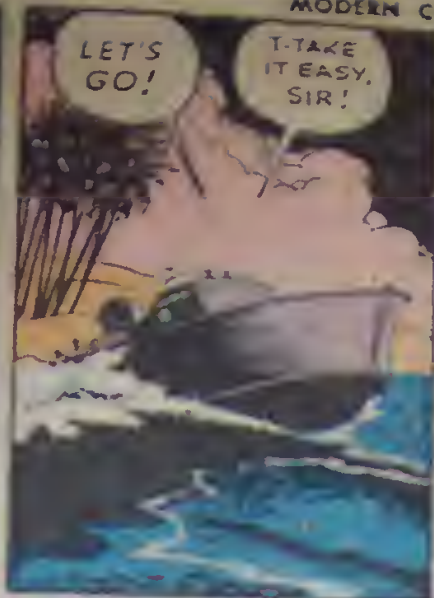
THE FISHING SLOOP! IT FIRED THAT TORPEDO!





WE  
DO WAKE.  
FORE  
WERE HIT!

GOOD GLORY!  
A PATROL IS  
RETURNING  
NOW! WE'LL  
NEED TO  
HURRY!



LET'S  
GO!

T-TAKE  
IT EASY,  
SIR!



DEVIL BOATS  
COME! CUT  
ROPE!



NO, YOU  
DON'T!



OUR PATROL  
RETURNED  
SAFELY!

THEY NEVER GOT  
OFF THE TORPEDO!  
THEIR DEADLY LITTLE  
SCHEME FELL  
THROUGH!



Later...

KING HAD BEEN CONFESSED!  
HE WAS IN THE PAY OF THE JAPS!  
THEY GAVE HIM A BONUS FOR  
EVERY PT BOAT HE  
DESTROYED!

THAT'S WHY HE  
WAS WILLING TO  
RISK HIS OWN LIFE TO  
LEAD US INTO THAT TRAP  
AT REJAVIE! AND ALL  
THE TIME HE POSSED  
AS OUR FRIEND!



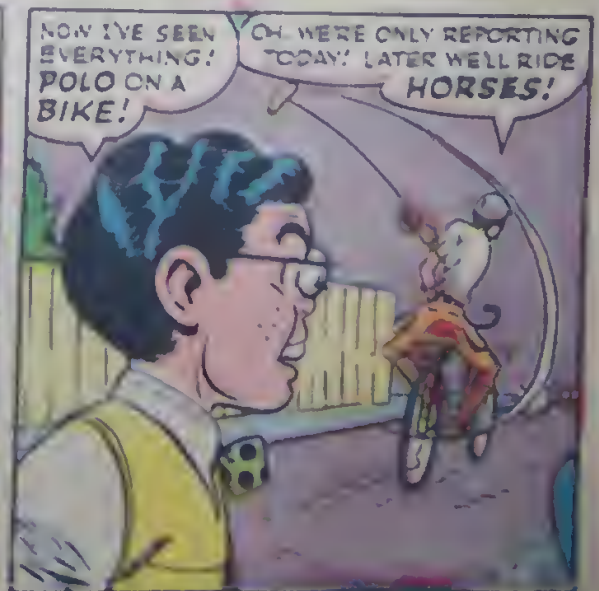
INCIDENTALLY,  
WOULD YOU LIKE  
THE WAY I  
HANDLED THAT  
PT BOAT?

PERRY SAID THAT  
WE'VE GOT CHARMED  
LIVES! I GUESS THAT  
MUST BE IT SINCE  
JUST WATCHING YOU  
AT THE WHEEL  
GAVE ME A  
RELAPSE!



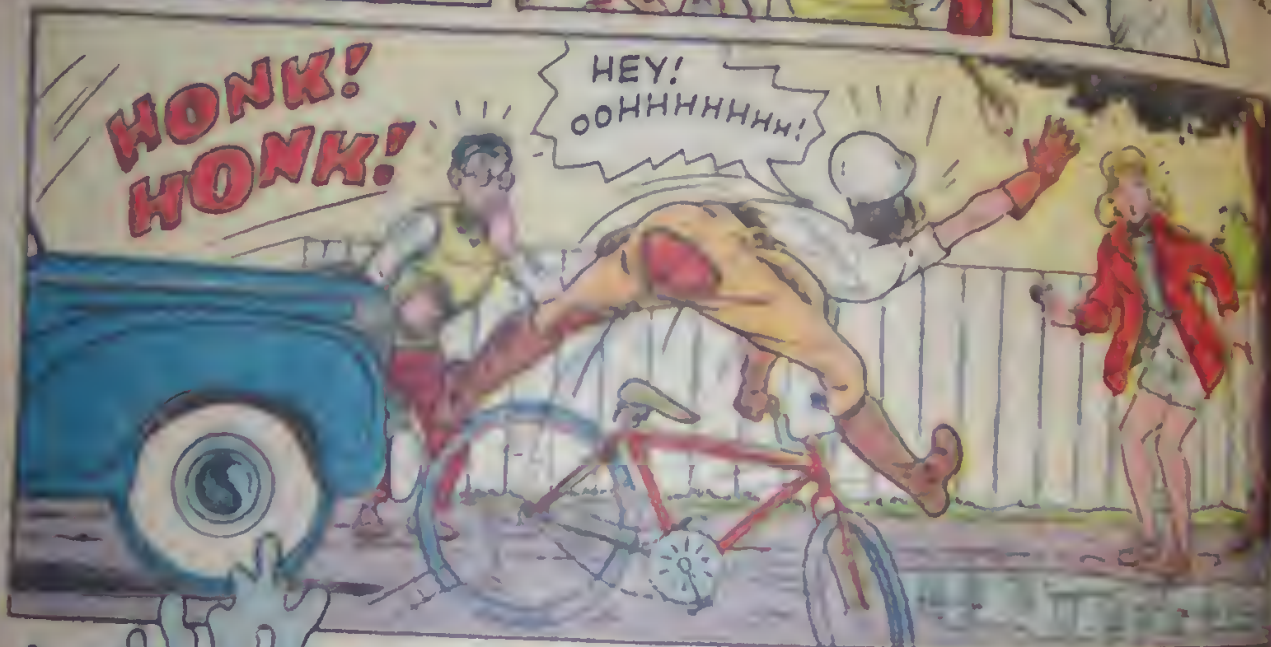
WHAT'S THE BIG  
DEAL WHO DO  
YOU THINK  
YOU ARE?



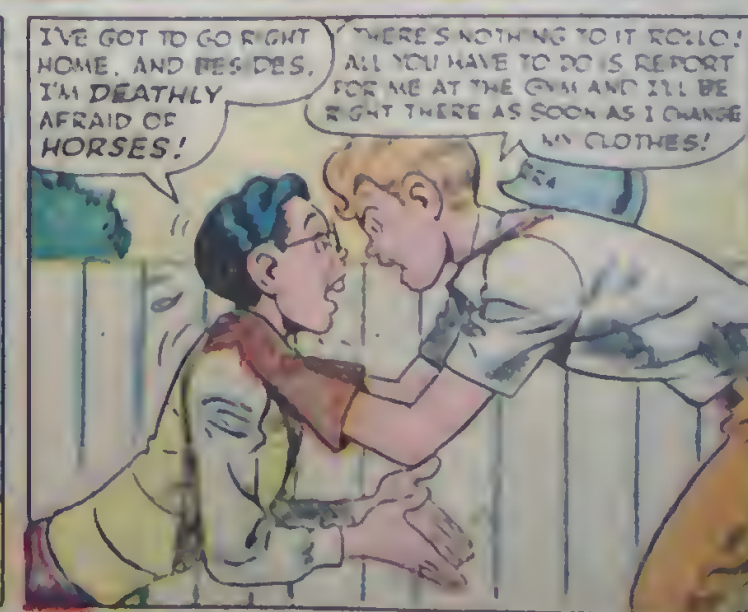
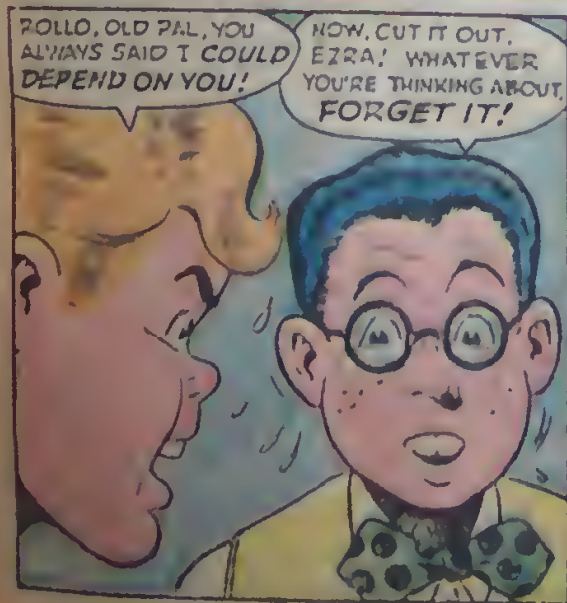
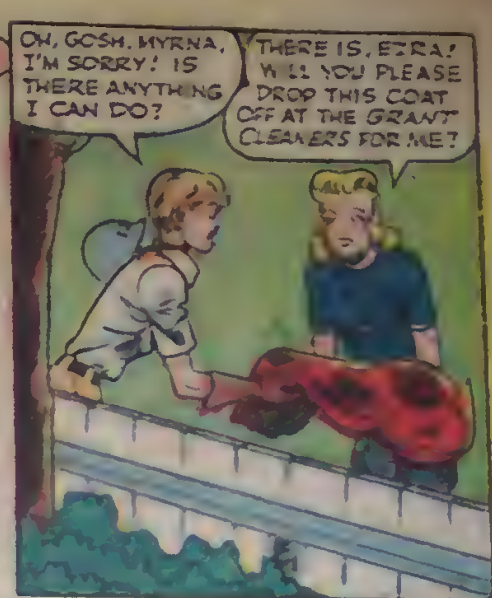
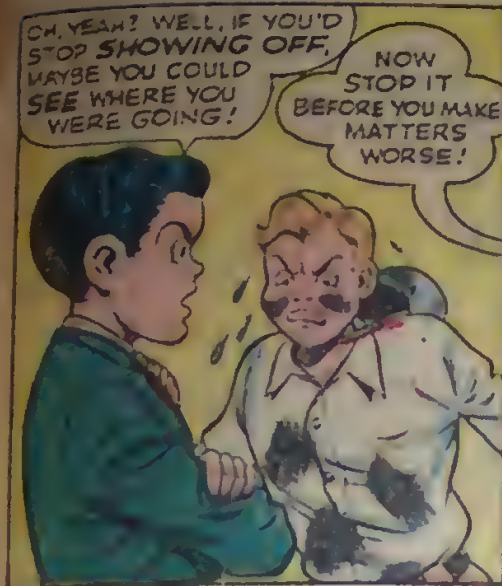




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JUST SIT TIGHT UNTIL I GET THERE! DON'T EVEN TAKE TIME TO GO TO THE CLEANERS WITH MYRNA'S GOAT!

I DON'T KNOW WHY I LET MYSELF GET INTO PREDICAMENTS LIKE THIS!

TIME takes care of all things... and EZRA doesn't need much of it to be on his way again --



I DON'T LOOK MUCH LIKE A POLO PLAYER BUT IT WILL HAVE TO DO!

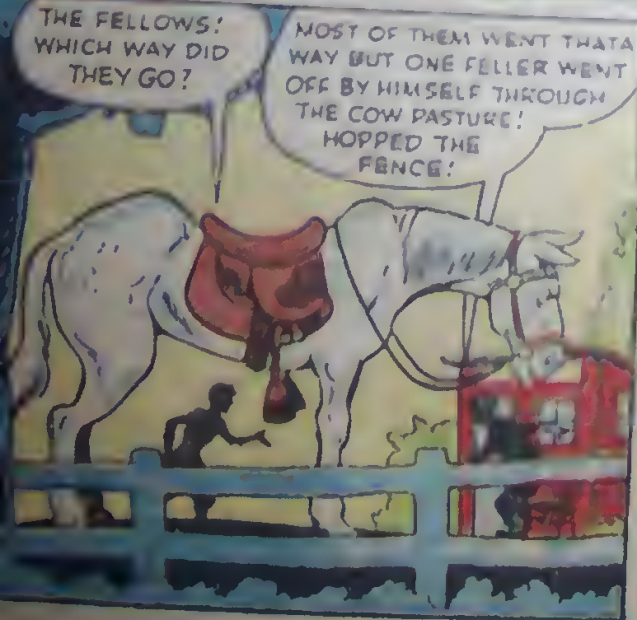


HEY, FUZZY, DIDN'T CAPTAIN CLARK SHOW UP TO ORGANIZE THE POLO TEAM?

SURE, THEY ALL WENT OVER TO GET HORSES FOR A PRELIMINARY RIDE! YOUR PAL, ROLLO, WAS GOING TO BACK DOWN, BUT THE GANG WOULDN'T LET HIM!



HOLY CROW! ROLLO DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO RIDE! HOPE I GET THERE BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!



THE FELLOWS! WHICH WAY DID THEY GO?

MOST OF THEM WENT THATA WAY BUT ONE FELLER WENT OFF BY HIMSELF THROUGH THE COW PASTURE! HOPPED THE FENCE!



IF YOU SEE HIM, TELL HIM TO SLOW DOWN AND STOP SHOWING OFF! IT'S VERY DANGEROUS IN THERE!

IT'S DANGEROUS ANYWHERE! OH I HOPE I FIND HIM BEFORE THAT NAG BREAKS HIS NECK!

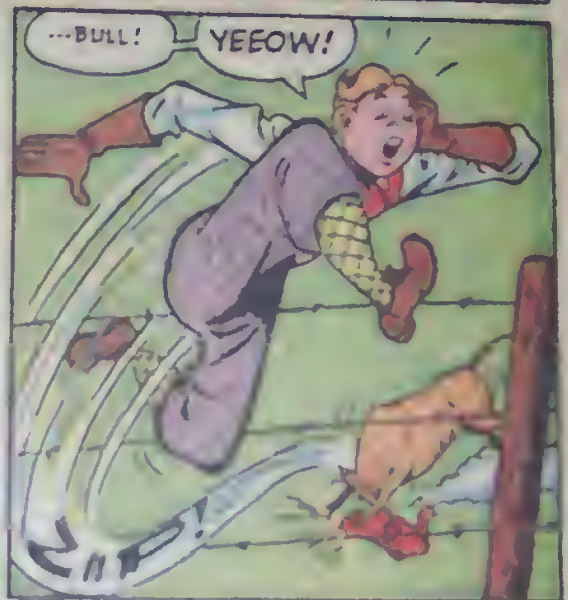
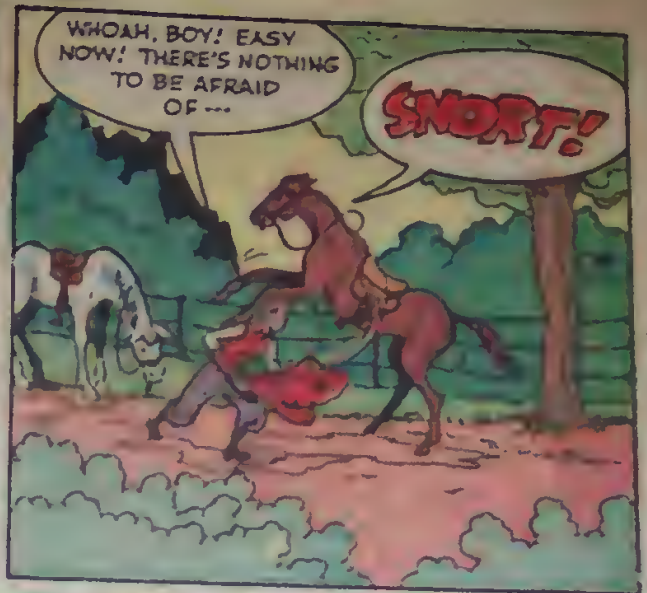


WHAT HAPPENED? DID THE BULL GET HER?

OHNNH! T COAT! THIS

GULP! ONLY A--







WHY, WHY, THAT'S MYRNA MOORE'S COAT! SHE MUST HAVE CUT THROUGH HERE TO MEET US AND--  
OHHHHH!

THIS IS HORRIBLE! WE HAVE TO GET HELP TO FIND HER! I HOPE WE'RE NOT TOO LATE!



OH, THANK HEAVENS YOU HAVE A PHONE!

YOU CAN THANK THE OWNER, MR. MARTIN! AND YOU'LL HAVE TO PAY FOR ALL LONG DISTANCE CALLS!



GANG OF GIRLS! ATTACKED BY BULL! SEND AMBULANCE!

WHAT'S THAT? BULL KILLED A GANG OF GIRLS?

SEND THE POLICE! FIRE DEPARTMENT! STATE TROOPERS!



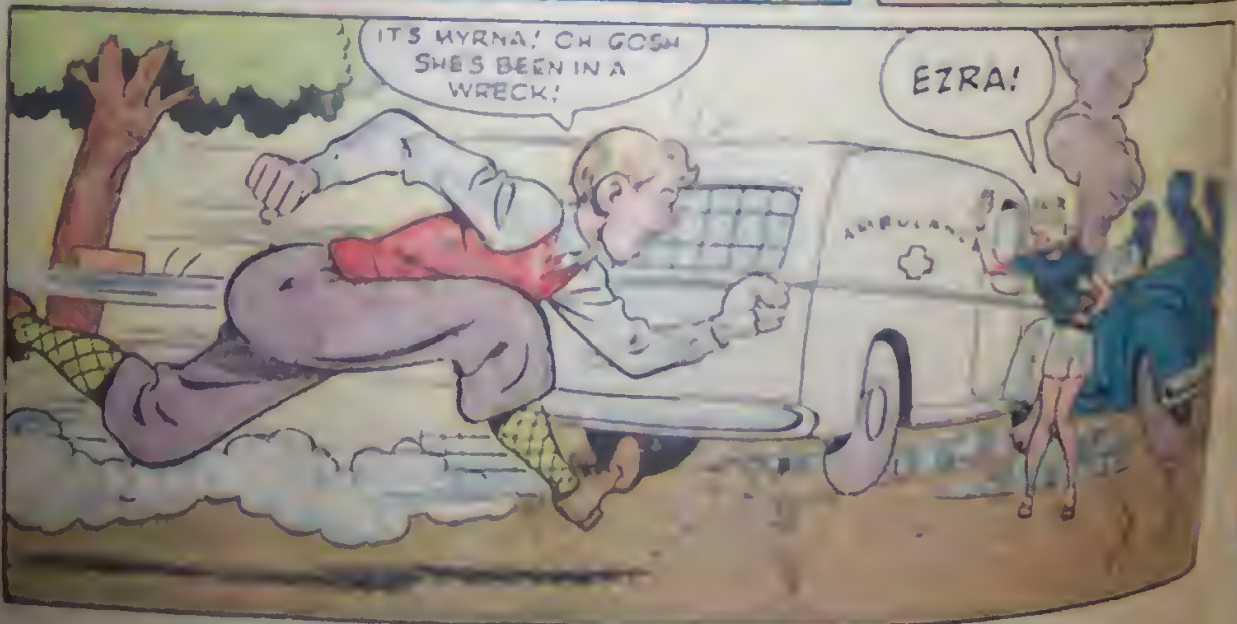
GOSH, WHAT'S GOING ON?

I HEAR THE BULLS ARE AFTER AN ESCAPED CRIMINAL!

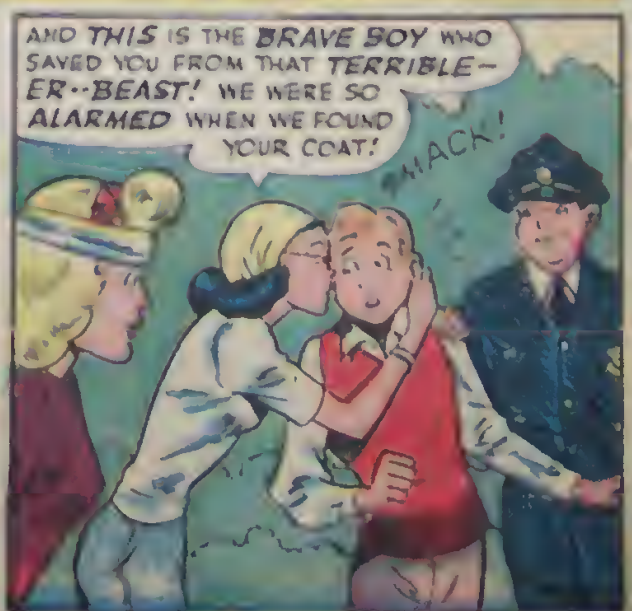


IT'S MYRNA! OH GOSH SHE'S BEEN IN A WRECK!

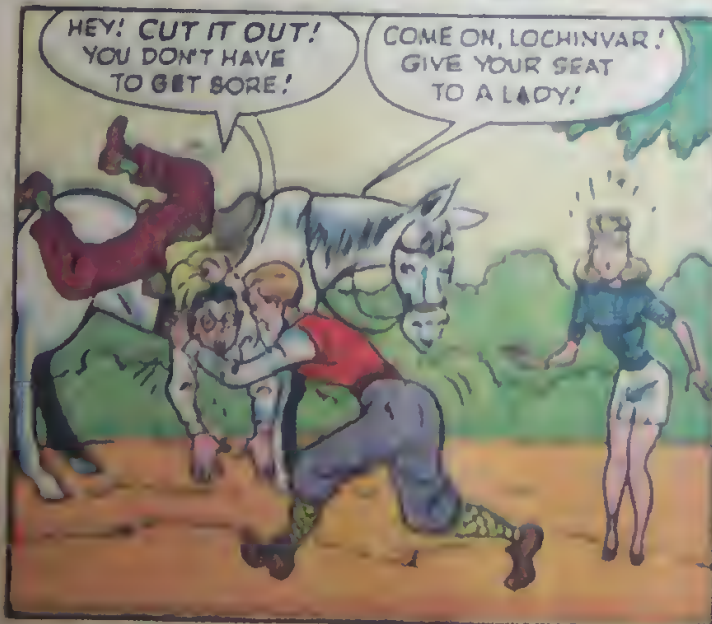
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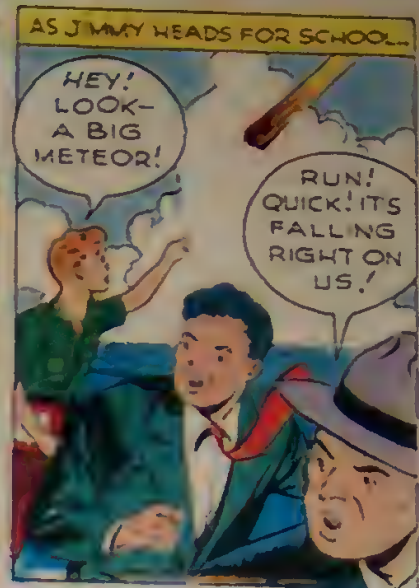












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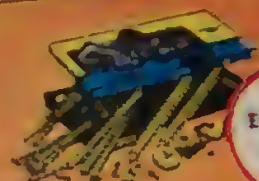


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1. At the same time, we are the "male"  
 of the "female" and we are the "real" man.  
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 with the "male" of the "female" (change some and tempo)  
 3. The "male" of the "female" (change some and tempo)

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MA. 6 long two door wooden laboratory  
pots were sold during experiments at  
your (lower) lot.

**Do you know**

that I have  
with a down  
to the end  
the first  
the whole  
apparently heard  
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Write teenage  
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